Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005

Message Text

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 SANTIA 01981 082019 Z

64
ACTION ARA-17

INFO OCT-01 ADP-00 CIAE-00 DODE-00 PM-09 H-02 INR-10 L-03

NSAE-00 NSC-10 PA-03 RSC-01 PRS-01 SS-15 USIA-12 EB-11

COME-00 TRSE-00 OMB-01 AID-20 OPIC-12 XMB-07 EUR-25

NIC-01 RSR-01 /162 W
---------- 007707
R 081750 Z MAY 73
FM AMEMBASSY SANTIAGO
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4248

UNCLAS SANTIAGO 1981

E. O.11652: N/ A
TAGS: CI US PINT
SUBJ: AMB LETELIER DEFENDS SELF ON CONTACTS WITH US PRESS

REF: SANTIAGO 1790

VIRTUALLY ALL SANTIAGO PAPERS MAY 7 CARRY FONMIN RELEASE OF STATEMENT FROM AMB TO US AND FONMIN- DESIGNATE ORLANDO LETELIER, REBUTTING PDC SENATOR RAFAEL MORENO ASSERTION (REF) THAT LETELIER COLLUDED WITH JACK ANDERSON AND WASH POST' S LAURENCE STERN TO SMEAR PDC. ACCUSING MORENO OF GRATUITOUS MUDSLINGING, LETELIER MAINTAINED NEITHER HE NOR ANY OTHER EMBASSY OFFICIAL EVER HAD CONTACT WITH ANDERSON. HE CONFIRMED HAVING RECEIVED STERN ONCE, AT LATTER' S REQUEST IN LATE MARCH, BUT ASSERTED THAT ONLY MATTER DISCUSSED WAS BACKGROUND OF ITT NEGOTIATIONS WITH GOC. INTERVIEW WAS PERFECTLY ABOVE BOARD, HE NOTED,
NO DIFFERENT FROM OTHERS OFTEN GRANTED TO US NEWSMEN IN NORMAL COURSE HIS AMBASSADORIAL DUTIES.
DAVIS

UNCLASSIFIED
NMAFVVZCZ

*** Current Handling Restrictions *** n/a

Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005

Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005

*** Current Classification *** UNCLASSIFIED
@@@OASYS@@@<CONCATENATED>

UNCLASSIFIED

PAGE 01 SANTIA 01981 082019 Z

64
ACTION ARA-17

INFO OCT-01 ADP-00 CIAE-00 DODE-00 PM-09 H-02 INR-10 L-03

NSAE-00 NSC-10 PA-03 RSC-01 PRS-01 SS-15 USIA-12 EB-11

COME-00 TRSE-00 OMB-01 AID-20 OPIC-12 XMB-07 EUR-25

NIC-01 RSR-01 /162 W
---------- 007707
R 081750 Z MAY 73
FM AMEMBASSY SANTIAGO
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 4248

UNCLAS SANTIAGO 1981

E. O.11652: N/ A
TAGS: CI US PINT
SUBJ: AMB LETELIER DEFENDS SELF ON CONTACTS WITH US PRESS

REF: SANTIAGO 1790

VIRTUALLY ALL SANTIAGO PAPERS MAY 7 CARRY FONMIN RELEASE OF STATEMENT FROM AMB TO US AND FONMIN- DESIGNATE ORLANDO LETELIER, REBUTTING PDC SENATOR RAFAEL MORENO ASSERTION (REF) THAT LETELIER COLLUDED WITH JACK ANDERSON AND WASH POST' S LAURENCE STERN TO SMEAR PDC. ACCUSING MORENO OF GRATUITOUS MUDSLINGING, LETELIER MAINTAINED NEITHER HE NOR ANY OTHER EMBASSY OFFICIAL EVER HAD CONTACT WITH ANDERSON. HE CONFIRMED HAVING RECEIVED STERN ONCE, AT LATTER' S REQUEST IN LATE MARCH, BUT ASSERTED THAT ONLY MATTER DISCUSSED WAS BACKGROUND OF ITT NEGOTIATIONS WITH GOC. INTERVIEW WAS PERFECTLY ABOVE BOARD, HE NOTED,
NO DIFFERENT FROM OTHERS OFTEN GRANTED TO US NEWSMEN IN NORMAL COURSE HIS AMBASSADORIAL DUTIES.
DAVIS

UNCLASSIFIED
NMAFVVZCZ

*** Current Handling Restrictions *** n/a

Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005

Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005

*** Current Classification *** UNCLASSIFIED

Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005

Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005

Message Attributes

Automatic Decaptioning: X
Capture Date: 01 JAN 1994
Channel Indicators: n/a
Current Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Concepts: n/a
Control Number: n/a
Copy: <CONCATENATED>
Draft Date: 08 MAY 1973
Decaption Date: 01 JAN 1960
Decaption Note:
Disposition Action: n/a
Disposition Approved on Date:
Disposition Authority: n/a
Disposition Case Number: n/a
Disposition Comment:
Disposition Date: 01 JAN 1960
Disposition Event:
Disposition History: n/a
Disposition Reason:
Disposition Remarks:
Document Number: 1973SANTIA01981
Document Source: CORE
Document Unique ID: 00
Drafter: n/a
Enclosure: n/a
Executive Order: n/a
Errors: n/a
Film Number: n/a
From: SANTIAGO
Handling Restrictions: n/a
Image Path:
ISecure: 1
Legacy Key: link1973/newtext/t19730538/aaaaifrf.tel
Line Count: 107
Locator: TEXT ON-LINE
Office: ACTION ARA
Original Classification: UNCLASSIFIED
Original Handling Restrictions: n/a
Original Previous Classification: n/a
Original Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Page Count: 2
Previous Channel Indicators:
Previous Classification: n/a
Previous Handling Restrictions: n/a
Reference: 73 SANTIAGO 1790
Review Action: RELEASED, APPROVED
Review Authority: kellerpr
Review Comment: n/a
Review Content Flags:
Review Date: 04 OCT 2001
Review Event:
Review Exemptions: n/a
Review History: RELEASED <04-Oct-2001 by kuehnbc0>; APPROVED <19 FEB 2002 by kellerpr>
Review Markings:

Declassified/Released
US Department of State
EO Systematic Review
30 JUN 2005

Review Media Identifier:
Review Referrals: n/a
Review Release Date: n/a
Review Release Event: n/a
Review Transfer Date:
Review Withdrawn Fields: n/a
Secure: OPEN
Status: <DBA CORRECTED> mcm 971223
Subject: AMB LETELIER DEFENDS SELF ON CONTACTS WITH US PRESS
TAGS: PINT, CI, US, PINT
To: STATE
Type: TE
Markings: Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005

Declassified/Released US Department of State EO Systematic Review 30 JUN 2005